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MUCH DAMAGE BY MORNING FIRE AT MONONGAHELA

An estimated loss of $10,000 was entailed in a fire of unknown origin this morning at about 2 o'clock at Monongahela which consumed two dwelling houses and a large stable belonging to Richard Kemper located on Coal street, between Eighth and Ninth. Both dwellings were frame structures.

The fire started in the barn in which Kemper who does a general hauling and contracting business, kept his horses and equipment. The horses were taken from the blazing building alive, but the remaining contents were consumed. Trouble with the water supply made the fire fighting difficult. Before the flames could be checked they had spread to the residence on the same lot. This burned rapidly and the fire soon attacked the adjoining house and for a time it appeared that many others were doomed.

When discovered at 1:30 this morning the flames had practically destroyed the stable and had been communicated to the one residence. Within half an hour the three buildings were practically burned to the ground and little furniture was saved from either house.

A family named Ramsey occupied one of the residences.

"PI," NOT "PIE," IN ABUNDANCE AT MAIL PRINT SHOP YESTERDAY

"Pie" and "pi," although having the same sound when pronounced are very much different in meaning. The former according to Webster, is something that is extremely pleasing to the palate, or in other words something that is mighty good to eat. But "pi," is the very opposite. It is the one thing that is most dreaded by the printers, and that which is liable to bring on a case of the blues—or a few choice words not found in abundance in the school lexicon, but distinctively of print-shop origin. Yesterday afternoon we had "pi," not to eat mind you but of the swearing kind, at the Mail office, and had it in good quantities too. In fact a new historical precedent was made, that being the only satisfaction we got out of the matter.

But you want to know just what happened. Well to make the story short, yesterday afternoon, just as the paper was being put on press, the whole form of type of the front page was "pied." That is confusedly mixed or spilt, so that it was impossible to get it together again in time for the paper to be issued, with all the material in place, as it should be. This accounts for the surprising appearance of the Mail last night. We make amends, this time and apoligize for something which could not be avoided, and hope that it will never happen again.

VERDICT FOR 6 1-4 CENTS IN SHUTTERLY-RAILROAD CASE

Contrary to expectations the jury in the suit of Frank Earle Shutterly and Meliza Shutterly, his wife, against the Pennsylvania Railroad company at Washington failed to agree in a short time after being out, and did not reach a verdict until 4 o'clock yesterday, finding for the plaintiff in the sum of 6 1-4 cents. They were out from 11 to 4 o'clock. The charge of the court practically told the jury that they should find a nominal sum for the defendant, that the facts of the case did not warrant damages for injuries or unitive damages against the railroad company.

Th claim was for $5,000 damages by reason of the ejection of Mrs. Shutterly from the train near Lucyville. It developed during the defense yesterday afternoon that although the ticket agent had wrongly informed Mrs. Shutterly that the train stopped at Coal Center, that after she was on the train the conductor had informed her it did not stop there, had endeavored to rectify the mistake of the agent, fixed Mrs. Shutterly's ticket so that she might stop at Lucyville and catch the train she should have taken.

These propositions of the defendant, Mrs. Shutterly turned down and in obeyance of the rules, was put off the train after it left Lucyville. The question of law came as to the company's liability, even if the agent had made the mistake, this mistake being righted by the conductor, and the person concerned refusing to abide by the rules of the railroad and proposition of conductor

Judge McIlvaine held that although the agent did make the mistake, yet the righting of it by the conductor giving the woman the privilege to get off at Lucyville, where she might catch the right train, or pay additional fare to California and her refusing to do what was suggested, relieved the company of its liability. Attorney Irwin for the defendant company asked for binding instructions, but the court decided to allow the case to go to the jury. Braden and Campbell represenetd the plaintiffs.

MR. TENER VISITS AT WASHINGTON

Mr. J. K. Tener, of Charleroi the congressman-elect from this district and the one who will succeed E. F. Acheson of Washington was in Washington, D. C. yesterday, visiting at the capitol, and learning a few things in connection with the office which he is to fill soon. He received a hearty greeting, being known by many of the men high in office. He is a friend of Justice Moody, the two having met in Haverhill, Mass., in their younger days.

Mr. Tener was walking through the corridors of the Capitol yesterday when the Supreme Court was filing back into the courtroom after lunch Justice Moody looked up and, recognizing the new Congressman, stopped, grasped his hand and expressed his pleasure at meeting him.

The honor of being the tallest man in the house will be shared by Mr. Tener with A. J. Barchfeld of Allegheny county. The latter claims to be six feet, five inches in height, but some of the other big men of Congress quietly dispute these measurements. Mr. Tener is six feet four in height.

Mr. Tener after spending several hours around the capitol grounds left on the afternoon train for Philadelphia.

MACCABEES HOLD THE ANNUAL ELECTION

The Charleroi Hive No. 185, L. O. T. M. last night at a regular meeting elected officers for the coming year. It is expected that the ladies will have a public installation in January.

The officers elected follows: Past commander, Mrs. Margaret Dunkerly; commander, Mrs. Mary E. Springer; lieutenant commander, Mrs Minnie Dietz; record keeper, Mrs. Mary McGee; finance auditor, Mrs. May Frye; captain, Mrs. Lydia Cottle; sergeant, Mrs. Emma Feuster; mistress at arms, Mrs. Hattie Garlic; sentinel, Mrs. Carrie Jackson; picket, Miss Anna M. Sullivan; organist, Miss Julia V. Sullivan; captain of guards, Mrs. Birdie Blanchard.

Washington Avenue Presbyterian.

Sunday school at 9:45; morning service at 11 o'clock. Subject of sermon, "Christian's Assurance." Evening service at 7:30 o'clock "Christ the Never Failing Fountain." Junior Christian Endeavor at 2:30; Senior Christian Endeavor at 6:30.

Miss Catherine Statters of Centerville is spending the day in Charleroi with friends.

DON'T WEAR CAP IF IT DOESN'T FIT

Game Warden Osborne of Charleroi was a caller on the editor of the Ledger Wednesday evening. His mission was one in regards to an article in last week's paper which told of a couple of Charleroi sleuths selling three quarts of whiskey and being caught at their own game. While the article does not mention any names Mr. Osborne claims that three fourths of the people of Charleroi believe that he was the "detective" who was referred to. This he denies, but adds that he is experiencing great difficulty in making people believe it. He stated that the article was the cause of his three bondsmen withdrawing from his bond and that his reputation has been ruined by it. He spoke of litigation, prosecution and of the presenting of the name of the Ledger's informant. He said that although he told his bondsmen that he was in no manner connected with the affair, yet they believe he was and he says they believe the story instead of him.

If a newspaper publishes articles attacking a class of people in general, without citing particular names, there is no reason why all the people engaged in that profession should immediately rush into the newspaper office and deny stories they are not personally interested in, or deny acts they have not committed. Such actions on their part only serves to strengthen the belief that there is guilt somewhere or they would not be so hasty in denying it. It is an old saying, though a true one, that "a guilty conscience is its own accuser."

The article in question does not accuse Mr. Osborne, yet he seeks redress from its attacks. It is not the purpose of this paper to force a person to wear a cap that does not fit, but we certainly have no objection to any person wearing the cap, if it fits them. That is none of our business. A dozen different people might come into a newspaper office and complain about an article each avering it was intended for them and they thereby infer by their act that they were perhaps hit by the article.—Roscoe Ledger.

Mrs. Lindaur Will Recover.

It was reported in Charleroi today several times that Mrs. Fred Lindaur, who was formerly Miss Nellie Barnhart, was dead, but this was untrue. Word was received from Connellsville, the home, at about 1:30 this afternoon, that Mrs. Lindaur was still living, and likely to recover.

Special for Saturday.

600 pairs of Ladies Felt Slippers 29 cents a pair. Adolph of course. 103t2

SCHOOL CLOSED FOR VACATION

Yesterday afternoon the Charleroi schools closed for the annual two weeks vacation. The vacation this year is a little earlier than usual, and for this reason many of the school children will not enjoy it as much as they would otherwise. The reason that it is at this time is the fact that institute comes the middle two weeks of the month of December the opening being on next Monday. The reopening of the schools will be on December 28

Nearly all the teachers of the local schools will attend the county institute at Washington, although not being under the jurisdiction of the county superintendent and not compelled to go. The directors in a meeting sometime ago decided that it was better to attend the institute than to have one at home. The Washington schools are also not under the supervision of the county superintendent but like Charleroi will have their teachers attend the county institute.

Many of the parents were of the idea that the vacation this year would be of three weeks duration but such is not the case. One disadvantage the ordinary pupil has not been slow to detect in the coming vacation is that Christmas comes on Friday and as school takes up on the following Monday it leaves rather a short time for enjoying the Christmas gifts. Another disadvantage to the small boy is that a long vacation before Christmas makes Christmas come that much slower.

DAMAGE SUIT FOR $50,000

A large sum is involved in the suit now on trial before Judge McIlvaine, in which Jesse V. Bumgarner, of Millsboro, is the plaintiff and the Pittsburg, Monongahela and Southern Railroad company is defendant. The plaintiff claims $50,000 damages for the taking of the greater part of his farm, adjoining the borough of Millsboro in East Bethlehem township, for the purpose of railroad construction.

The farm is said by the plaintiff to have been one of the finest in the county along the Monongahela river and that by the construction of the railroad upon it has been practically entirely injured. The farm contained 70 acres. The case reaches court through an appeal from the award of viewers by the defendant company, this view having awarded the plaintiff a larger sum than the railroad company believes he is entitled to. The suit on trial is one of three. In a second suit yet to be called $2,000 damage are claimed by reason of the taking of a lot in East Bethlehem township.

In another suit a claim is made for $50,000 for daamges to a lot in Millsboro. The plaintiff is represented by Birch and McCreight and the defendant company by Irwin and Wiley. The case on trial will likely take the rest of the week and be carried into next week. The defendant not only claims that the railroad has caused a depredation in the value of the surface of the farm, but that the coal has depreciated in value, it being claimed, the railroad cuts off access to the river

Dance Well Attended.

The dance last night in the Bank of Charleroi Hall was well attended, couples coming from out of town as well as the many that were present from this place. The music was exceptionally good.

COMMITTEE WILL GIVE A EUCHRE

A benefit euchre, the proceeds to go to the juveniie court is being arranged for by Mrs. John K. Tener, the chairman of the local committee, the affair to be held in the Charleroi Savings and Trust Company hall on the evening of Thursday, December 17. Tickets have been placed on sale and the present indications are that a nice sum will be realized for the worthy cause.

It is probable that Charleroi has sent more boys to the juvenile court than any other town in the county, and therefore has special reason for the raising of the money to maintain it.

It is supposed by many that the juvenile court is supported by the county but such is not the case. The county furnishes detention rooms and a matron but that is the extent of the expenditures in this worthy effort. Therefore the funds for it's support has to be raised in various ways, for example like the proposed euchre The means that the court has been carrying on for the raising of funds has been uncertain, and precarious and the work suffers from the lack of financial support. The local committee has not asked the public for any direct contributions in the past three years, and now faces the future with a depleted treasury.

Mrs. J. A. McIlvaine, the wife of one of the present judges of this county and one of the principal workers in the movement will be here in Jaunary with other ladies of the county capitol, and an open meeting will be held when the work of the court will be explained and the system governing youthful offenders will be better understood.

From the ready sale of tickets the committee are confident of raising a goodly sum for the work. It is probable that other events of a similar kind will be held in Charleroi in the near future for the benefit of the court work. There are many Charleroi people who have never included this noble work in the number of their charities, and of these is asked encouragement and a donation of at least the price of a ticket.

DEVELOPMENTS IN RINEHART CASE

Waynesburg, Dec. 11.—At the close of the most eventful day in the course of the trial of J. B. F. Rinehart, alleged forger and bank wrecker the case which has already occupied the first five days of the week and closed on the testimony this evening. The arguments of counsel will be heard tomorrow morning and later the charge of the court to the jury will be given. It is probable that the case will reach the jury before the noon adjournment.

The defendant himself furnished the sensational features of today's proceedings. He made no attempt whatever to deny that he had drawn the bank resolution authorizing the rediscounting of the $5,000 Tilton note with the Reedville bank, and he admitted that he had signed his own name thereto as well as that of Director Bowlby. As a defense to the charges against him Rinehart claimed that he at all times acted for the bank within the scope of his authority and cited an "omnibus resolution" purporting to have adopted by the directors of the bank giving him authority to rediscount the paper of the bank.

John Brannagan is transacting business today in Pittsburg.

WORSHIP IN THE CHARLEROI CHURCHES

Episcopal.

Early celebration of Holy Communion at 8 o'clock. Sunday school and Bible class at 10 a. m. Morning prayer, lithany and sermon at 11 o'clock, subject, "The Cultivation of the Religious Affections." Evening prayer, and sermon at 7:30 p. m., subject, "The Uses of Labor, and the Passion for the Fortune." Rev. Lucius W. Shey, rector.

Christian

The preaching services at the Christian church will be at 11 a. m. and 7:30 p. m. The sermon themes will be, morning, The Lord's Treasury," evening, "Watch Words." Sunday school at 9:45 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6:30 p. m.

First Presbyterian

Services at the First Presbyterian church as usual on Sunday. Preaching services at 11 o'clock morning and 7:30 o'clock evening. Morning topic, "The Award of a Hero, and Why He Was One." Evening sermon subject, "For One Thing." Sunday school at 9:45, Junior Christian Endeavor at 2:20 o'clock. All are welcome. J. T. Hackett, pastor.

Baptist.

Sunday school 9:45 a. m. Morning worship at 11 a. m. Sermon subject. "Love and Love". Evening worship, 7:30 Topic. "The Storm and Lessons to Learn from Rain and Snow." Mid week service Wednesday evening 7:30. A cordial invitation to all services.

Methodist.

9:00, class meeting. 9:30, Sunday school. Music by the orchestra every Sunday. 10:15, public worship. Sermon theme "The Dual Nature of the Christian Life." Anthem, "Reapers of Life's Harvest." 2:30, Men's league, Ward Snyder, leader. Subject "Facts of Inconsistency and Reality." 6:30, Epworth league, leaders, Mrs. Thomas and Mrs. Dunlop. Subject, "The Joys of the Overcomers" 7:30, public worship. Sermon, "Two Visions of a Sinful Life." Anthem, "The Lord is King." W. S. James, Choir leader. At the morning service at 10:45 there will be a sermon prelude for the Sunday school children on "Snow Crystals." Everybody invited to all these services. The church is located at the corner of Sixth and Lincoln. A. M. Doak, minister.

LECTURE AT THE M. E. CHURCH

Dr. Camden M. Cobern, professor of Philosophy of Religion, and of the English Bible at Allegheny college gave a lecture at the Methodist Episcopal church last night under the auspices of the Men's League. The church was well filled. The subject of the lecture was "The Twentieth Century Man."

The lecture was most interesting from beginning to end. Dr. Cobern is a rapid fire talker, and has the ability to hold an audience, and sway them at will.

He took up the comparison of the American man with that of his brothers of other countries. All his points were from personal observation, which fact made the lecture the more interesting. In the advancement along all lines the American is far ahead of all those of foreign countries, he said. Not only is the resident of this glorious and free country so far above those of other countries, in intelligence and refinement, but the methods of government, of this is above comparison with that of other countries. The speaker illustrated his theme with stories and reminiscences gleaned through his travels.

Announcement.

I take this method of announcing my candidacy for the office of Burgess of Charleroi and solicit your co-operation and support at the coming primaries and the general election following. I was born and raised in Washington county and have been in business in the Borough for the last seven (7) years. Have always been a straight republican and have never held or asked for any political or public office of any kind.

If nominated and elected to this important office, I will regard it as my duty to give it my personal attention and to administer its affairs in an honest and conscientious manner.

A. H. Furlong.

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Dec. 12 In History.

1731—Dr. Erasmus Darwin, poet and scientist, grandfather of Charles Darwin, born; died 1802.

1791—Maria Louisa, second wife of Napoleon, born in Vienna; died there 1847.

1889—Robert Browning, British poet, died; born 1812.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:29, rises 7:12; moon rises 9 p. m.; moon's age 19 days.

Dec. 13 In History.

1545—Opening of the council of Trent.

1585—William Drummond, Scottish poet, born; died 1649.

1842—Disaster in Kurd Kabul pass; 3,849 British and 12,000 natives cut of by Afghanistans, and terrible slaughter ensued.

1902—German and British warships bombarded and silenced 2 Venezuelan forts at Puerto Cabello.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4.29, rises 7.13; moon rises 9:59 p. m.

Convict Labor.

Since the matter of the employment of convict labor has been brought forward, there has been much discussion of the subject both adversely and otherwise. Doubtless it would be a good idea to put the prisoners to work. They suffer from the confinement, but lots of them would suffer more from the work on the roads. It is the idea in sending men to jail to have them suffer for their misdeeds, and putting some of them to work would be a mighty good method. Convict labor was tried by Sheriff Carothers during his term in office and it was a great success. This has influenced some of the officials to seriously discuss the matter of employing this labor exclusively.

Some men go to jail just for the reason that they are kept free by the county and have nothing to do but loaf. To get sentenced to spend terms in the county repository, some will commit misdeeds, of various natures. There is one case in particular, that we know of where a man was sentenced to jail for a time then let out only to be sentenced again. In fact they could hardly get rid of this persistent person. The cause of his incarceration was the fact that he would not work. If he had been put to work while he was in the hands of the law, the desire to remain in jail would not have been so strong, and he would have been learned the necessary lesson. We hope that convict labor in the future is employed on the county highways.

How Busy are You?

Some men are too busy to give any time to their wives and children. They leave home early in the morning, stay away all day, and come back at night filled with wordly cares, morose and uncommunicative. If it is ever suggested to them that they are doing wrong, they justify themselves on the ground that it is necessary for them to make a living, and that this leaves them no time for other things. Usually the plea is without foundation, for it is not merely a comfortable living that they are seeking after but the accumulation of needless wealth. Any man that is too busy to be a gentleman in his manners and a Christian in his spirit within the circle of his own home is busier than he ought to be.

Electric Sparks.

Richard Croker playing golf reminds one that a certain more or less advanced age golf seems to be the only consolation open to famous persons of wealth obtressed by unkind curiosity of a vulgar populace as to where and how they got it.

The Westinghouse company appears to be safely on deck again. Now, George, let it stay there.

No unnecessary blow should be given a weak brother; no needfull one withheld. There may be moments when silence is cruelty to the community.

The gift of courtesy can be acquired by all who earnestly seek it: True, some men and women are naturally more gracious than others but no one need be a boor. It is a trait which can be eliminated.

That Duquesne man who shot a man because he didn't know the gun was loaded, and was sent to the workhouse for three months, it shocked a second time by finding that the judge was loaded, too.

That young woman who confesses to theft in order to present a good appearance to her young man may get a good deal of sympathy from the thousands who confuse outward appearances with real merit.

Castro of Venezuela has been allowed to land as a private citizen in France. But he carries all the weight of mystery that could attend him in his official capacity, bewildering even to his attendants.

The cost of counting us in 1910 is figured out to be $14,000,000. Which indicates that the point which the census itself must decide as to whether that will be six or seven for a dollar.

Speech is silver, silence is golden, giggling is brazen and laughter is apt to be ironical.

Every time the average man makes a fool of himself he procedes to administer the fact.

In accord with the law of the eternal fitness of things, Eve must have handed Adam a green persimmon.

When a young man tells a girl that he'll love her forever and ever no doubt he believes he is telling the truth at the time.

Britishers are now talking of abolishing the House of Lord. If that is all that stands in the way of home rule for Ireland, let them abolish it.

A young lady millionaire in Boston has been fined one cent for speeding with her automobile.

A pessimist is a fellow who wouldn't hang up his stocking for fear old Santa Claus might swipe it.

Taft's administration proposes making railroad stock watering a difficult as the four-footed cloven-hoofed kind is now.

The best religion appreciates the good in all the other sorts and kinds; of all religions are of kith and kin and have a certain divine charm.

Connecting up the county seats by good roads is the best way on earth to get the state-wide leven working.

By all means let the state prisoners work on the public highways. They will appreciate their meals the better by so doing.

Looking Back Upon the Present.

We who are used to flight can hardly realize the crawling life of men before the twentieth century. They were bound to roads and railroads. They could not ride direct to any given spot. They were confined by roads and railroads, and they were a hurried race that chafed at these restraints. Imagine, then, this race suddenly relieved of such vexations barriers, entering into a new realm, as free as the sea, and reaching all men alike, so that every man's farm or factory was a harbor from which he could sail as directly as the wind would let him to any spot in the world; and, bear in mind, from the first with a rapidity that equaled that of the ordinary railroad trains of the day and surpassed any speed permitted by law to private vehicles on their crooked roads. It was indeed this advantage of speed which encouraged as much as anythingelse the commercial development of the flyer. —"Success Magazine."

Lover

Lover, Pa., De. 12.—Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith, Dec. 9, a son.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Winnett of Long Branch, a daughter.

The Grangers held a meeting in the school house Thursday evening.

Frank Frye, of Tennessee, who is visiting his aunt, Mrs. John Rider, attended the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Sarah McGowan at the Lock on Monday.

A Christmas tree and short program is being given by the Fallowfield school this afternoon.

Protracted meeting is in progress at the Oak Grove C. P. church.

The teachers of Fallowfield township will attend institute at Washington next week.

Mrs. John Pfile returned home Tuesday from near Pittsburg where she spent a few days with Mr. Pfile's mother, who is ill.

Miss Elsie Hannen is spending the latter part of this week with friends at Charleroi and Belle Vernon.

Miss Bessie Allmon visited Mrs. I. N. Carson Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Tener Hostess.

Mrs. J. K. Tener was hostess this week at an elaborate luncheon given at the Duquesne club Pittsburg. Golden tints marked the decorations of the table. Yellow candles in gold candlesticks helped furnish the light. Around the table were seated the Charleroi ladies who composed a theatre party for Wednesday afternoon when Grace Von Studdiford was seen in "The Golden Butterfly" at the Nixon. The guests in addition to the hostess were Mrs. A. C. McKean, Mrs. C. W. Weltner, Mrs. A. W. Day, Mrs. W. H. Coles, and Mrs. J. W. Bechtel of Tarentum.

How About Associates?

W. H. Riggle, of Charleroi has tendered his resignation and it has been accepted, as a licensed detective. He emphatically states in his letter to the court that the business he has been in is one of "graft." How about his associates? Are they making money enough to support themselves out of this 'graft? This resignation has been the outcome of a concerted effort by law-abiding citizens to rid the community of a gang of leeches who prey upon the unsuspecting. Next!—Ledger.

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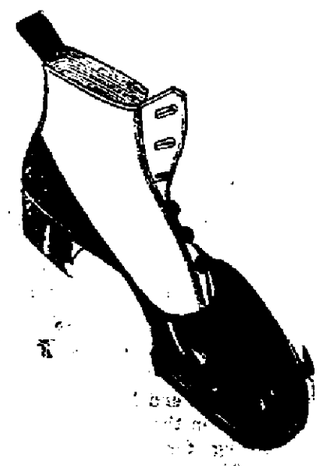

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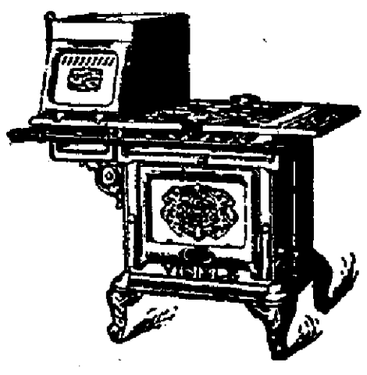

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AMONG THE THEATERS

The engagement of a superb company in "The Thief," is an event of supreme importance to the residents of Monessen and this city. The prestige of this tremendous play, owing to its success in Paris, London and New York, is sufficient reason to believe that there will be a universal triumph in all engagements of "The Thief." For ten months last winter "The Thief" was played at the Lyceum theatre, New York, and more than half a million persons were enthralled and engrossed by the marvelous structure of the drama. The organization appearing at the Monessen Opera House, Friday, December 18, is a duplicate of the one which appeared in New York, and the scenic equipment would surely attract unusual attention were it not for the more potent influence of the great play and the great performance. The scene of "The Thief" is laid in France and concerns two families of the upper middle class, but the locals might readily be transposed to an American village or a shipping port of China. The plot is direct, and the playwright has provided such a wealth of surprises for the audience that it would defeat his purpose to reveal the mystery of the 21 600 francs robbery.

COMMISSIONERS APPROVE BRIDGE

The county commissioners yesterday certified to the clerk of courts their approval of the bridge over little Chartiers creek near VanEman Station and connecting North Strabane and Peters townships, also the bridge over Hunter's fork of Wheeling creek to connect the counties of Washington and Greene. These bridges have been approved by the grand jury and the court and it is now up to the county to erect them. According to County Engineer Wylie's estimates a steel bridge at Van Eman station will cost $9,000 and a concrete arch about $12,000. The estimate for the inter county bridge is about $9,000.

MONESSEN Opera House
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Thursday, Dec., 17th

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"Every Lover of the Drama Should go and see "The Thief."—Wm. Winter in the New York Tribune.)

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Secure your seats early

ANNUAL ELECTION HELD BY K. OF C.

At a recent meeting of the Charleroi lodge Knights of Columbus, officers were elected. Those who were chosen for the coming year are: Grand knight, John K. Rickey; deputy grand knight, Joseph Hochendonner; warden, Joseph Alsopp; Chancelor, Sam Claybaugh; trustee, Peter Lee; financial secretary, Joseph Schoener; recording secretary, Joseph Weber; outside guard, Frank Lee; inside guard, George Pepperny; chaplain, Rev. W. D. Fries.

Socialist Free Lecture Sunday.

The Socialist Local of Charleroi will give a free lecture at the Turner Hall Sunday at 2 p. m to which the public is cordially invited. Comrade J. G. Greggerson of McKeesport has been secured for the occasion. Any questions asked at this meeting will be cheerfully answered. The Charleroi Local of Socialists has added 20 new members to its list since the election.

OLD CLOTHES IN AFRICA.

The Natives Often Make Dreadful Mistakes With European Attire.

The "ol' clo' man" is a familiar figure in American streets and one by no means without picturesqueness, but no American dealer in old clothes has established a business of such extent of interest as that of John Hyman of London, whose speciality is to purchase showy costumes and discarded military and official uniforms for disposal in the orient and Africa.

Even the retiring lord mayors of London have become almost by official tradition his customers, and the cocked hat, gold laced coat and knee breeches at which during one season London has gazed with awe in the famous pageant of the lord mayor's procession are likely the next season to delight the eyes of darkest Africa upon the proud person of a darkest African.

"I have visited most of the great oriental bazars and watched our goods being purchased," says Mr. Hyman, "I have seen blacks solemnly walking around with waistcoats buttoned behind instead of before and even men wearing ladies' costumes. I have seen enormously big fellows in clothes so small I could not imagine for the life of me how they got into them or how they could get out again unless the stitching gave way."

The Prince de Joinville when off the Gabun coast once received on his ship an official visit from two chiefs, father and son, who must, one would think, have been Mr. Hyman's customers. They were known as Big Denis and Little Denis, and each owned for ceremonial occasions a military uniform.

That of Big Denis was a French general's, which his wives managed to get him into. That of Little Denis was a hussar's, and its intricate cut, numerous buttons, straps and buckles and painfully small size proved quite too much for him. He sent the prince a despairing message begging help, and a relief party of delighted midshipmen was sent to dress him and bring him aboard.

They fulfilled their errand; but, with the mischievousness of their kind, they so tightened every fastening of his overtight attire that the poor youth was nearly bursting with combined pride and suffocation when he arrived, and it was evident he could never be got out of his unwonted finery by any method less drastic than cutting him out.

Still, no manner of wearing a complete costume ever equals in comic effect some of the savages' combinations of unrelated items. One venerable African chieftain received his European guests with an antiquated evening shoulder cape of pink flowered satin and spangles worn about his waist as an apron, while his white wool was martially crowned by a military helmet.

Still another conducted important negotiations with an exploring party clad simply and impressively in a lady's large Gainsborough hat, a pair of cavalry boots and a necklace of glistening tin ornaments used to decorate Christmas trees.—Youth's Companion.

Reverberations.

"Ha, Mrs. Tankridge, I'm not the only one who snores. I was awakened by you sawing wood."

"You're mistaken again, Mr. Tank away. That was the echo of your own snoring that didn't die away for some seconds after you woke up."—Kansas City Times.

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He started back with indignation.

"I am a gentleman, sir," he hotly said, "and I never could demean myself by washing windows. But if you'll hold the job open for a half hour I'll see if I can't get my wife to do it."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Location of the Farmhouse.

In many sections farmhouses are some distance from the county roads and surrounded by trees, hedges and shrubbery. In other localities the houses are close to the road, where dust from every passing team is carried to the house. It may be more convenient to be close to the road, but with so much land as a large farm to build upon it should be more comfortable to set the house back, so as to ornament with lawns and make the farm more attractive in appearance, which will add to its value.

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Misses Grace and Nevada Iams, who are teachers in the local schools left this morning for their homes near Amity. They will attend the teachers institute at Washington next week.

Mrs. C. A. Wilderman has left for Waltersburg to spend a few days with friends and relatives.

Henry Howard who has been taking treatment at a Pittsburg hospital has returned home.

Miss Francis Estenfelder of this place is undergoing treatment at the Allegheny General Hospital.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. John Dunko, of Fallowfield avenue who died this morning was buried in the Charleroi cemetery this afternoon.

PRINTING FIRM IS AWARDED VERDICT

On trial before Judge Taylor yesterday at Washington was the suit of Stech and Wertz, job printers, of Charleroi, against R. L. Barnhart, proprietor of the Palace theatre at this place. The action was one in assumpsit and was a claim for a bill alleged due for work done for the defendant. There was a dispute as to the amount of the claim. I. W. Baum reperesented the plaintiffs and Duncan, Chalfant and Warne, the defendant. The case was short and a verdict was found for the plaintiff for $212.27.

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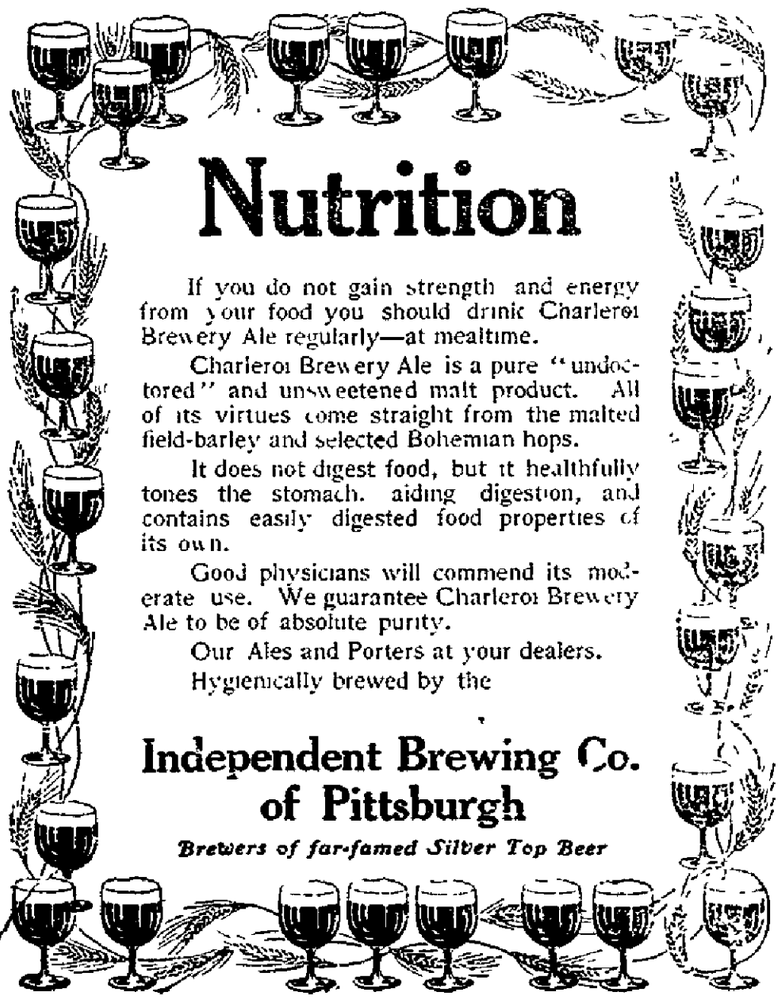

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MUCH DAMAGE BY MORNING FIRE AT MONONGAHELA

An estimated loss of $10,000 was entailed in a fire of unknown origin this morning at about 2 o'clock at Monongahela which consumed two dwelling houses and a large stable belonging to Richard Kemper located on Coal street, between Eighth and Ninth. Both dwellings were frame structures.

The fire started in the barn in which Kemper who does a general [illegible] kept his horses and equipment. The horses were taken from the blazing building alive, but the remaining contents were consumed Trouble with the water supply made the fire fighting difficult. Before the flames could be checked they had spread to the residence on the same lot. This burned rapidly and the fire soon attacked the adjoining house and for a time it appeared that many others were doomed.

When discovered at 1:30 this morning the flames had practically destroyed the stable and had been communicated to the one residence. [illegible] ings were practically burned to the ground and little furniture was saved from either house.

A family named Ramsey occupied one of the residences.

MR. TENER VISITS AT WASHINGTON

Mr. J. K. Tener, of Charleroi the congressman-elect from this district and the one who will succeed E. F. Acheson of Washington was in Washington, D C yesterday, visiting at the capitol, and learning a few things in connection with the office which he is to fill soon He received a hearty greeting, being known by many of the men high in office He is a friend of Justice Moody, the two having met in Haverhill Mass., in their younger days.

Mr Tener was visiting [illegible] correspondent of The Card [illegible] back into the room after lunch Justice Moody [illegible] grasped his hand and expressed pleasure at meeting him

The honor of being the first [illegible] Tener with A. J. Barnhisel of Allegheny county. The latter claims the [illegible] ments Mr. Tener [illegible] height

Mr Tener also [illegible] hours and [illegible] on the afternoon [illegible] plus.

MACCABEES HOLD THE ANNUAL ELECTION

The Charleroi Hive [illegible] L. O. T. M. last night at a regular meeting elected officers for the coming year. It is expected that the ladies will have a public installation in January.

The officers elected follows: Past commander, Mrs Margaret Dunkarty, commander, Mrs Mary E. Springer; lieutenant commander, Mrs Minnie Dietz; record keeper, Mrs. Mary McGee; finance auditor, Mrs May Frye, captain, Mrs Lydia Cottle; sergeant, Mrs. Emma Feuster, mistress at arms, Mrs. Hattie Garlic; sentinel, Mrs Carrie Jackson; picket, Miss Anna M. Sullivan; organist, Miss Julia V. Sullivan; captain of guards, Mrs. Birdie Blanchard.

Washington Avenue Presbyterian.

Sunday school at 9 45, morning service at 11 o'clock. Subject of sermon, "Christian's Assurance." Evening service at 7:30 o'clock "Christ the Never Failing Fountain." Junior Christian Endeavor at 2 30. Senior Christian Endeavor at 6.30.

Miss Catherine Statters of Centerville is spending the day in Charleroi with friends.

DON'T WEAR CAP IF IT DOESN'T FIT

Game Warden Osborne of Charleroi was a caller on the editor of the Ledger Wednesday evening His mission was one in regards to an article in last week's paper which told of a bunch of Charleroi sleuths selling three quarts of whiskey and being caught at their own game While the article does not mention any names Mr Osborne claims that three fourths of the people of Charleroi believe that he was the "detective" who was referred to This [illegible] article was the cause of his three [illegible] withdrawing from his home [illegible] has been [illegible] by it He spoke of litigation, prosecution and of the preserving of the name of the Ledger's informant [illegible] said that although he told his [illegible] that he was in no manner connected with the affair, yet they believe he was and he says that [illegible] the story was easy enough.

It is a newspaper publishes articles [illegible] taking a class of people in general, without citing particular names, there is no reason why any of the people engaged in that profession should immediately rush into the newspaper office and deny stories they are not personally interested in, or deny unless they have not committed. Such actions on their part only serves to strengthen the belief that there is guilt somewhere or they would not be so hasty in denying it. It is an old saying, though a true one, that "a guilty conscience is its own accuser."

The article in question does not accuse Mr. Osborne, yet he seeks redress from its attacks. It is not the purpose of this paper to force a person to wear a cap that does not fit, but we certainly have no objection to any person wearing the cap, if it fits them. That is none of our business. A dozen different people might come into a newspaper office and complain about an article each avering it was intended for them and they thereby infer by their act that they were perhaps hit by the article —Roscoe Ledger

Mrs. Lindaur Will Recover.

It was reported in Charleroi today several times that Mrs. Fred Lindaur, who was formerly Miss Nellie Barnhart, was dead, but this was untrue. Word was received from Connellsville, the home, at about 1:30 this afternoon, that Mrs. Lindaur was still living, and likely to recover.

Special for Saturday.

600 pairs of Ladies Felt Slippers 29 cents a pair. Adolph of course 103t2

"PI," NOT "PIE," IN ABUNDANCE AT MAIL PRINT SHOP YESTERDAY

"Pie" and "pi," although having the same sound when pronounced are very much different in meaning. The former according to Webster, is something that is extremely pleasing to the palate, or in other words something that is mighty good to eat. But "pi," is the very opposite. It is the one thing that is most dreaded by the printers, and that which is liable to bring on a case of the blues—or a few choice words not found in abundance in the school lexicon, but distinctively of print-shop origin. Yesterday afternoon we had "pi," not to eat mind you but of the swearing kind, at the Mail office, and had it in good quantities too. In fact a new historical precedent was made, that being the only satisfaction we got out of the matter.

But you want to know just what happened. Well to make the story short, yesterday afternoon, just as the paper was being put on press, the whole form of type of the front page was "pied" That is confusedly mixed or spilt, so that it was impossible to get it together again in time for the paper to be issued, with all the material in place, as it should be. This accounts for the surprising appearance of the Mail last night We make amends, this time and apoligize for something which could not be avoided, and hope that it will never happen again.

SCHOOL CLOSED FOR VACATION

Yesterday afternoon the Charleroi schools closed for the annual two weeks vacation The vacation this year is a little earlier than usual, and for this reason many of the school children will not enjoy it as much as they would otherwise The reason that it is at this time is the fact that institute comes the middle two weeks of the month of December the opening being on next Monday The reopening of the schools will be on December 28

Nearly all the teachers of the local schools will attend the county institute at Washington the going being under the jurisdiction of the county superintendent and not compelled to go The directors in a meeting sometime ago decided that it was better to attend the institute than to have one at home The Washington schools are also not under the supervision of the county superintendent but have Charleroi will have their teachers attend the county institute.

Many of the parents were of the idea that the vacation this year would be of three weeks duration but such is not the case The usual vacation for ordinary pupil has not been slow to detect in the coming vacation is that Christmas comes on Friday and as school takes up on the following Monday it leaves rather a short time for enjoying the Christmas tid Another disadvantage to the small boy is that a long vacation before Christmas makes Christmas come that much slower.

DAMAGE SUIT FOR $50,000

A large sum is involved in the suit now on trial before Judge McIlvaine, in which Jesse V. Bumgarner, of Millsboro, is the plaintiff and the Pittsburg, Monongahela and Southern Railroad company is defendant. The plaintiff claims $50,000 damages for the taking of the greater part of his farm, adjoining the borough of Millsboro in East Bethlehem township, for the purpose of railroad construction.

The farm is said by the plaintiff to have been one of the finest in the county along the Monongahela river and that by the construction of the railroad upon it has been practically entirely injured. The farm contained 70 acres. The case reaches court through an appeal from the award of viewers by the defendant company, this view having awarded the plaintiff a larger sum than the railroad company believes he is entitled to. The suit on trial is one of three. In a second suit yet to be called $2,000 damage are claimed by reason of the taking of a lot in East Bethlehem township

In another suit a claim is made for $50,000 for deamges to a lot in Millsboro. The plaintiff is represented by Birch and McCreight and the defendant company by Irwin and Wiley. The case on trial will likely take the rest of the week and be carried into next week. The defendant not only claims that the railroad has caused a depredation in the value of the surface of the farm, but that the coal has depreciated in value it being claimed the railroad cuts off access to the river

Dance Well Attended.

The dance last night in the Bank of Charleroi Hall was well attended, couples coming from out of town as well as the many that were present from this place. The music was exceptionally good.

COMMITTEE WILL GIVE A EUCHRE

A benefit euchre, the proceeds to go to the juvenile court is being arranged for by Mrs John K. Tener, the chairman of the local committee, the affair to be held in the Charleroi Savings and Trust Company hall on the evening of Thursday, December 17 Tickets have been placed on sale and the present indications are that a nice sum will be realized for the worthy cause.

It is probable that Charleroi has sent more boys to the juvenile court than any other town in the county, and therefore has special reason for the raising of the money to maintain it.

It is supposed by many that the juvenile court is supported by the county but such is not the case. The county furnishes detention rooms and a matron but that is the extent of the expenditures in this worthy effort Therefore the funds for its support has to be raised in various ways, for example like the proposed euchre The means that the court has been carrying on for the raising of funds has been uncertain, and precarious and the work suffers from a lack of financial support The local committee has not asked the public for any direct contributions in the past three years, and now faces the future with a depleted treasury.

Mrs J A. McIlvaine the wife of one of the present judges of this county and one of the principal workers in the movement will be here in January with other ladies of the county capitol and an open meeting will be held when the work of the court will be explained and the system governing youthful offenders will be better understood.

From the ready sale of tickets the committee are confident of raising a goodly sum for the work. It is probable that other events of a similar kind will be held in Charleroi in the near future for the benefit of the court work There are many Charleroi people who have never included this noble work in the number of their charities, and of these is asked encouragement and a donation of at least the price of a ticket

DEVELOPMENTS IN RINEHART CASE

Waynesburg, Dec. 11.—At the close of the most eventful day in the course of the trial of J. B. F Rinehart, alleged forger and bank wrecker the case which has already occupied the first five days of the week and closed on the testimony this evening. The arguments of counsel will be heard tomorrow morning and later the charge of the court to the jury will be given. It is probable that the case will reach the jury before the noon adjournment.

The defendant himself furnished the sensational features of today's proceedings. He made no attempt whatever to deny that he had drawn the bank resolution authorizing the rediscounting of the $5,000 Tilton note with the Reedville bank, and he admitted that he had signed his own name thereto as well as that of Director Bowlby As a defense to the charges against him Rinehart claimed that he at all times acted for the bank within the scope of his authority and cited an "omnibus resolution" purporting to have adopted by the directors of the bank giving him authority to rediscount the paper of the bank.

John Brannegan is transacting business today in Pittsburg.

VERDICT FOR 6 1-4 CENTS IN SHUTTERLY-RAILROAD CASE

Contrary to expectations the jury in the suit of Frank Earle Shutterly and Meliza Shutterly, his wife, against the Pennsylvania Railroad company at Washington failed to agree in a short time after being out, and did not reach a verdict until 4 o'clock yesterday, finding for the plaintiff in the sum of 6 1-4 cents They were out from 11 to 4 o'clock. The charge of the court practically told the jury that they should find a nominal sum for the defendant, that the facts of the case did not warrant damages for injuries or punitive damages against the railroad company.

The claim was for $5,000 damages by reason of the ejection of Mrs. Shutterly from the train near Lucyville [illegible] Lucyville yesterday afternoon that although the ticket agent had wrongly informed Mrs. Shutterly that the train stopped at Coal Center, that after she was on the train the conductor had informed her it did not stop there, had endeavored to rectify the mistake of the agent, based Mrs. Shutterly's ticket so that she might stop at Lucyville and catch the train she should have taken.

These propositions of the defendant, Mrs. Shutterly turned down and in obeyance of the rules, was put off the train after it left Lucyville. The question of law came as to the company's liability, even if the agent had made the mistake, this mistake being righted by the conductor, and the person [illegible] aside by the rules of the railroad and proposition of conductor

Judge McIlvaine held that although the agent did make the mistake, yet the righting of it by the conductor giving the woman the privilege to get off at Lucyville, where she might [illegible] additional fare to California and her refusing to do what was suggested, relieved the company of its liability Attorney Irwin for the defendant company asked for binding instructions, but the court decided to allow the case to go to the jury. Braden and Campbell represented the plaintiffs.

WORSHIP IN THE CHARLEROI CHURCHES

Episcopal.

Holy [illegible] celebration of Holy Communion at 8 o'clock. Sunday school and Bible class at 9 a. m. Morning prayer, litany and sermon at 11 o'clock, subject, The Cultivation of the Religious Affections Evening prayer, and sermon at 7 30 p. m., subject The Laws of Labor, and the Passion for the Fortune Rev. Lucius W. Sharp rector.

Christian

The preaching services at the Christian church will be at 11 a. m. and 7 30 p. m. The sermon themes will be, morning, The Lord's Treasury, evening, "Watch Words." Sunday school at 9 45 a. m. Y. P. S. C. E. at 6.30 p. m.

First Presbyterian

Services at the First Presbyterian church as usual on Sunday Preaching services at 11 o'clock morning and 7 30 o'clock evening. Morning topic, "The Award of a Hero, and Why He Was One. Evening sermon subject, "For One Thing" Sunday school at 9.45, Junior Christian Endeavor at 2 30 o'clock All are welcome. J. T. Hackett, pastor.

Baptist

Sunday school 9 45 a. m. Morning worship at 11 a m Sermon subject, "Love and Love". Evening worship, 7 30 Topic, "The Storm and Lessons to Learn from Rain and Snow." Mid week service Wednesday evening 7 30. A cordial invitation to all services

Methodist.

9 00, class meeting. 9 30, Sunday school. Music by the orchestra every Sunday. 10 45 public worship. Sermon theme "The Dual Nature of the Christian Life." Anthem, "Reapers of Life's Harvest" 2:30, Men's league, Ward Snyder, leader Subject "Facts of Inconsistency and Reality. 6 30 Epworth league, leaders, Mrs Thomas and Mrs. Dunlop. Subject, "The Joys of the Overcomers" 7 30, public worship Sermon, "Two Visions of a Sinful Life" Anthem, "The Lord is King." W. S James, Choir leader. At the morning service at 10:45 there will be a sermon prelude for the Sunday school children on "Snow Crystals." Everybody invited to all these services. The church is located at the corner of Sixth and Lincoln. A. M. Doak, minister.

LECTURE AT THE M. E. CHURCH

Dr. Chamber M Cober professor of Philosophy of Religion, and of the English Bible at Allegheny college gave a lecture at the Methodist Episcopal church last night under the auspices of the Men's League. The church was well filled The subject of the lecture was The Twentieth Century Man

The lecture was most interesting from beginning to end. Dr. Cobern is a ripe scholar, and has the ability to hold an audience, and away them as well.

He took up the comparison of the American man with that of the rulers of other countries A few points were from personal observation, which fact made the lecture the more interesting In the advancement along all lines the American is far ahead of all those of foreign countries, he said Not only is the resident of this glorious and free country so far above those of other countries, in intelligence and refinement, but the methods of government, of this is above comparison with that of other countries The speaker illustrated his theme with stories and reminiscences gleaned through his travels.

Announcement.

I take this method of announcing my candidacy for the office of Burgess of Charleroi and solicit your co-operation and support at the coming primaries and the general election following. I was born and raised in Washington county and have been in business in the Borough for the last seven (7) years Have always been a straight republican and have never held or asked for any political or public office of any kind

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Dec. 12 In History.

1731—Dr. Erasmus Darwin, poet and scientist, grandfather of Charles Darwin, born; died 1802.

1791—Maria Louisa, second wife of Napoleon, born in Vienna; died there 1847.

1889—Robert Browning, British poet, died; born 1812.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:29, rises 7:12; moon rises 9 p. m.; moon's age 19 days.

Dec. 13 In History.

1545—Opening of the council of Trent.

1585—William Drummond, Scottish poet, born; died 1649.

1842—Disaster in Kurd Kabul pass; 5,849 British and 12,000 natives cut of by Afghanistans, and terrible slaughter ensued.

1902—German and British warships bombarded and silenced 2 Venezuelan forts at Puerto Cabello.

ASTRONOMICAL EVENTS.

Sun sets 4:29, rises 7:13; moon rises 9:59 p. m.

Convict Labor.

Since the matter of the employment of convict labor has been brought forward, there has been much discussion of the subject both adversely and otherwise. Doubtless it would be a good idea to put the prisoners to work. They suffer from the confinement, but lots of them would suffer more from the work on the roads. It is the idea in sending men to jail to have them suffer for their misdeeds, and putting some of them to work would be a mighty good method. Convict labor was tried by Sheriff Carothers during his term in office and it was a great success. This has influenced some of the officials to seriously discuss the matter of employing this labor exclusively.

Some men go to jail just for the reason that they are kept free by the county and have nothing to do but loaf. To get sentenced to spend terms in the county repository, some will commit misdeeds, of various natures. There is one case in particular, that we know of where a man was sentenced to jail for a time then let out only to be sentenced again. In fact they could hardly get rid of this persistent person. The cause of his incarceration was the fact that he would not work. If he had been put to work while he was in the hands of the law, the desire to remain in jail would not have been so strong, and he would have been learned the necessary lesson. We hope that convict labor in the future is employed on the county highways.

How Busy are You?

Some men are too busy to give any time to their wives and children. They leave home early in the morning, stay away all day, and come back at night filled with wordly cares, morose and uncommunicative. If it is ever suggested to them that they are doing wrong, they justify themselves on the ground that it is necessary for them to make a living, and that this leaves them no time for other things. Usually the plea is without foundation, for it is not merely a comfortable living that they are seeking after but the accumulation of needless wealth. Any man that is too busy to be a gentleman in his manners and a Christian in his spirit within the circle of his own home is busier than he ought to be.

Electric Sparks.

Richard Croker playing golf reminds one that a certain more or less advanced age golf seems to be the only consolation open to famous persons of wealth oppressed by unkind curiosity of a vulgar populace as to where and how they got it.

The Westinghouse company appears to be safely on deck again. Now, George, let it stay there.

No unnecessary blow should be given a weak brother; no needfull one withheld. There may be moments when silence is cruelty to the community.

The gift of courtesy can be acquired by all who earnestly seek it. True, some men and women are naturally more gracious than others but no one need be a boor. It is a trait which can be eliminated.

That Duquesne man who shot a man because he didn't know the gun was loaded, and was sent to the workhouse for three months, it shocked a second time by finding that the judge was loaded, too.

That young woman who confesses to theft in order to present a good appearance to her young man may get a good deal of sympathy from the thousands who confuse outward appearances with real merit.

Castro of Venezuela has been allowed to land as a private citizen in France. But he carries all the weight of mystery that could attend him in his official capacity, bewildering even to his attendants.

The cost of counting us in 1910 is figured out to be $14,000,000. Which indicates that the point which the census itself must decide as to whether that will be six or seven for a dollar.

Speech is silver, silence is golden, giggling is brazen and laughter is apt to be ironical.

Every time the average man makes a fool of himself he precedes to administer the fact.

In accord with the law of the eternal fitness of things, Eve must have handed Adam a green persimmon.

When a young man tells a girl that he'll love her forever and ever no doubt he believes he is telling the truth at the time.

Britishers are now talking of abolishing the House of Lords. If that is all that stands in the way of home rule for Ireland, let them abolish it.

A young lady millionaire in Boston has been fined one cent for speeding with her automobile.

A pessimist is a fellow who wouldn't hang up his stocking for fear old Santa Claus might swipe it.

Taft's administration proposes making railroad stock watering a difficult as the four-footed cloven-hoofed kind is now.

The best religion appreciates the good in all the other sorts and kinds of all religions are of kith and kin and have a certain divine charm.

Connecting up the county seats by good roads is the best way on earth to get the state-wide leven working.

By all means let the state prisoners work on the public highways. They will appreciate their meals the better by so doing.

Looking Back Upon the Present.

We who are used to flight can hardly realize the crawling life of men before the twentieth century. They were bound to roads and railroads. They could not ride direct to any given spot. They were confined by roads and railroads, and they were a hurried race that chafed at these restraints. Imagine, then, this race suddenly relieved of such vexations barriers, entering into a new realm, as free as the sea, and reaching all men alike, so that every man's farm or factory was a harbor from which he could sail as directly as the wind would let him to any spot in the world; and, bear in mind, from the first with a rapidity that equaled that of the ordinary railroad trains of the day and surpassed any speed permitted by law to private vehicles on their crooked roads. It was indeed this advantage of speed which encouraged as much as anythingelse the commercial development of the flyer. —"Success Magazine."

Lover

Lover, Pa., De. 12.—Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Walter Smith, Dec. 9, a son.

Born—To Mr. and Mrs. Benjamin Winnett of Long Branch, a daughter.

The Grangers held a meeting in the school house Thursday evening.

Frank Frye, of Tennessee, who is visiting his aunt, Mrs. John Rider, attended the funeral of his aunt, Mrs. Sarah McGowan at the Lock on Monday.

A Christmas tree and short program is being given by the Fallowfield school this afternoon.

Protracted meeting is in progress at the Oak Grove C. P. church.

The teachers of Fallowfield township will attend institute at Washington next week.

Mrs. John Pfile returned home Tuesday from near Pittsburg where she spent a few days with Mr. Pfile's mother, who is ill.

Miss Elsie Hunnen is spending the latter part of this week with friends at Charleroi and Belle Vernon.

Miss Bessie Allmon visited Mrs. J. N. Carson Thursday afternoon.

Mrs. Tener Hostess.

Mrs. J. K. Tener was hostess this week at an elaborate luncheon given at the Duquesne club Pittsburg. Golden tints marked the decorations of the table. Yellow candles in gold candlesticks helped furnish the light. Around the table were seated the Charleroi ladies who composed a theatre party for Wednesday afternoon when Grace Von Stadtiford was seen in "The Golden Butterfly" at the Nixon. The guests in addition to the hostess were Mrs. A. C. McKean, Mrs. C. W. Weltner, Mrs. A. W. Day, Mrs. W. H. Coles, and Mrs. J. W. Bechtel of Tarentum.

How About Associates?

W. H. Riggle, of Charleroi has tendered his resignation and it has been accepted, as a licensed detective. He emphatically states in his letter to the court that the ousiness he has been in is one of "graft." How about his associates? Are they making money enough to support themselves out of this 'graft'? This resignation has been the outcome of a concerted effort by law-abiding citizens to rid the community of a gang of leeches who prey upon the unsuspecting. Next!—Ledger.

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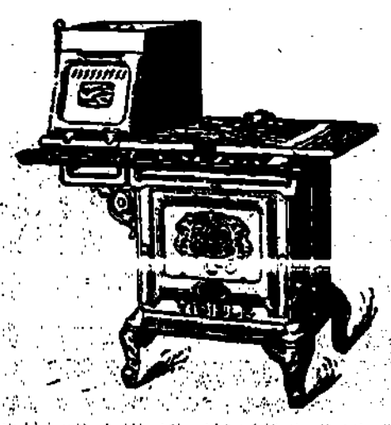

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AMONG THE THEATERS

The engagement of a superb company in "The Thief," is an event of supreme importance to the residents of Monessen and this city. The prestige of this tremendous play, owing to its success in Paris, London and New York, is sufficient reason to believe that there will be a universal triumph in all engagements of "The Thief." For ten months last winter "The Thief" was played at the Lyceum theatre, New York, and more than half a million persons were enthralled and engrossed by the marvelous structure of the drama. The organization appearing at the Monessen Opera House, Friday, December 18, is a duplicate of the one which appeared in New York, and the scenic equipment would surely attract unusual attention were it not for the more potent influence of the great play and the great performance. The scene of "The Thief" is laid in France and concerns two families of the upper middle class, but the locale might readily be transposed to an American village or a shipping port of China. The plot is direct, and the playwright has provided such a wealth of surprises for the audience that it would defeat his purpose to reveal the mystery of the 2,000 francs robbery.

COMMISSIONERS APPROVE BRIDGE

The county commissioners yesterday certified to the clerk of courts their approval of the bridge over little Chartiers creek near VanEman Station and connecting North Strabane and Peters townships, also the bridge over Hunter's fork of Wheeling creek to connect the counties of Washington and Greene. These bridges have been approved by the grand jury and the court and it is now up to the county to erect them. According to County Engineer Wylie's estimates a steel bridge at Van Eman station will cost $9,000 and a concrete arch about $12,000. The estimate for the inter county bridge is about $9,000.

MONESSEN Opera House
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Thursday, Dec., 17th

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ANNUAL ELECTION HELD BY K. OF C.

At a recent meeting of the Charleroi lodge Knights of Columbus, officers were elected. Those who were chosen for the coming year are: Grand knight, John K. Rickey; deputy grand knight, Joseph Hochendonner; warden, Joseph Alsopp; Chancelor, Sam Claybaugh; trustee, Peter Lee; financial secretary, Joseph Schoener; recording secretary, Joseph Weber; outside guard, Frank Lee; inside guard, George Pepperny; chaplain, Rev. W. D. Fries.

Socialist Free Lecture Sunday.

The Socialist Local of Charleroi will give a free lecture at the Turner Hall Sunday at 2 p. m. to which the public is cordially invited. Comrade J. G. Greggerson of McKeesport has been secured for the occasion. Any questions asked at this meeting will be cheerfully answered. The Charleroi Local of Socialists has added 20 new members to its list since the election.

OLD CLOTHES IN AFRICA

The Natives Often Make Dreadful Mistakes With European Attire.

The "ol' clo' man" is a familiar figure in American streets and one by no means without picturesqueness, but no American dealer in old clothes has established a business of such extent of interest as that of Mr. Hyman of London, whose specialty is to purchase showy costumes and discarded military and official uniforms for disposal in the orient and Africa.

Even the retiring lord mayors of London have become almost by official tradition his customers, and the cocked hat, gold laced coat and knee breeches at which during one season London has gazed with awe in the famous pageant of the lord mayor's procession are likely the next season to delight the eyes of darkest Africa upon the proud person of a darkest African.

"I have visited most of the great oriental bazars and watched our goods being purchased," says Mr. Hyman. "I have seen blacks solemnly walking around with waistcoats buttoned behind instead of before and even men wearing ladies' costumes. I have seen enormously big fellows in clothes so small I could not imagine for the life of me how they got into them or how they could get out again unless the stitching gave way."

The Prince de Joinville when off the Gabun coast once received on his ship an official visit from two chiefs, father and son, who must, one would think, have been Mr. Hyman's customers. They were known as Big Denis and Little Denis, and each owned for ceremonial occasions a military uniform.

That of Big Denis was a French general's, which his wives managed to get him into. That of Little Denis was a hussar's, and its intricate cut, numerous buttons, straps and buckles and painfully small size proved quite too much for him. He sent the prince a despairing message begging help, and a relief party of delighted midshipmen was sent to dress him and bring him aboard.

They fulfilled their errand; but, with the mischievousness of their kind, they so tightened every fastening of his overtight attire that the poor youth was nearly bursting with combined pride and suffocation when he arrived, and it was evident he could never be got out of his unwonted finery by any method less drastic than cutting him out.

Still, no manner of wearing a complete costume ever equals in comic effect some of the savages' combinations of unrelated items. One venerable African chieftain received his European guests with an antiquated evening shoulder cape of pink flowered satin and spangles worn about his waist as an apron, while his white wool was martially crowned by a military helmet.

Still another conducted important negotiations with an exploring party clad simply and impressively in a lady's large Gainsborough hat, a pair of cavalry boots and a necklace of glistening tin ornaments used to decorate Christmas trees. [illegible] companion.

Reversed Listings.

"Ha, Mrs. Tarbell, I'm glad to see you're only one who speaks. I was afraid you were saving me."

"You're mistaken again, Mr. Tarbell, I was the echo of your own snoring that didn't die away for some seconds after you woke up."—Kansas City Times.

Providing a Substitute.

He started back with indignation.

"I am a gentleman, sir," he hotly said, "and I never could demean myself by washing windows. But if you'll hold the job open for a half hour I'll see if I can't get my wife to do it."—Cleveland Plain Dealer.

Location of the Farmhouse.

In many sections farmhouses are some distance from the county roads and surrounded by trees, hedges and shrubbery. In other localities the houses are close to the road, where dust from every passing team is carried to the house. It may be more [illegible] to the road, but with so much land as a large farm to build upon it should be more comfortable to set the house back, so as to ornament with lawns and make the farm more attractive in appearance, which will add to its value.

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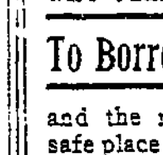
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Misses Grace and Nevada Iams, who are teachers in the local schools left this morning for their homes near Amity. They will attend the teachers institute at Washington next week.

Mrs. C. A. Wilderman has left for Waltersburg to spend a few days with friends and relatives.

Henry Howard who has been taking treatment at a Pittsburg hospital has returned home.

Miss Francis Estenfelder of this place is undergoing treatment at the Allegheny General Hospital.

The infant child of Mr. and Mrs. John Dunko, of Fallowfield avenue who died this morning was buried in the Charleroi cemetery this afternoon.

PRINTING FIRM IS AWARDED VERDICT

On trial before Judge Taylor yesterday at Washington was the suit of Stech and Wertz, job printers, of Charleroi, against S. L. Barnhart, proprietor of the Palace theatre at this place. The action was one in assumpsit and was a claim for a bill alleged due for work done for the defendant. There was a dispute as to the amount of the claim. I. W. Baum reperesented the plaintiffs and Duncan, Chalfant and Warne, the defendant. The case was short and a verdict was found for the plaintiff for $212.27.

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